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Crop Progress & Condition

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Maryland, there were 4 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending Sunday, July 12th, 2020. Topsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 17 percent short, 62 percent adequate, and 21 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 0 percent very short, 14 percent short, 60 percent adequate, and 26 percent surplus.

In Delaware, there were 3.5 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture supplies were 10 percent very short, 33 percent short, 56 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 10 percent very short, 36 percent short, 53 percent adequate, and 1 percent surplus.

MD Soil Moisture for Week Ending July 12, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	
TOPSOIL	0	17	62	21	
SUBSOIL	0	14	60	26	

MD Crop Conditions as of July 12, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	0	0	10	83	7
CORN	8	13	28	42	9
HAY, ALFALFA	2	3	25	57	13
HAY, OTHER	7	8	21	64	0
PASTURE & RANGE	1	8	37	50	4
PEACHES	0	0	40	60	0
SOYBEANS	1	6	16	67	10

MD Crop Progress as of July 12, 2020

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
BARLEY: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	100	89	N/A	N/A
CORN: SILKING	8	N/A	N/A	N/A
CUCUMBERS: HARVESTED	20	13	26	21
GREEN PEAS: HARVESTED	95	60	94	76
HAY, ALFALFA: SECOND CUTTING	41	35	78	73
HAY, ALFALFA: THIRD CUTTING	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
HAY, OTHER: SECOND CUTTING	45	30	44	37
PEACHES: HARVESTED	22	12	18	N/A
SOYBEANS: EMERGED	95	77	95	85
SOYBEANS: BLOOMING	11	<5	N/A	N/A
SWEET CORN: PLANTED	87	74	81	N/A
SWEET CORN: EMERGED	75	66	N/A	N/A
WINTER WHEAT: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	87	53	89	74

DE Soil Moisture for Week Ending July 12, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
TOPSOIL	10	33	56	1
SUBSOIL	10	36	53	1

DE Crop Conditions as of July 12, 2020

(in percent)

Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
APPLES	1	2	18	69	10
CORN	2	3	23	60	12
HAY, ALFALFA	1	2	23	62	12
HAY, OTHER	1	4	58	27	10
PASTURE & RANGE	2	14	52	20	12
PEACHES	2	4	21	68	5
SOYBEANS	1	4	25	61	9

DE Crop Progress as of July 12, 2020

(in percent)

Item	This Week	Last Week	Last Year	5 Year Avg.
BEANS, LIMA: PLANTED	95	93	93	86
CORN: SILKING	34	11	51	43
CUCUMBERS: HARVESTED	33	25	46	27
GREEN PEAS: HARVESTED	95	79	N/A	N/A
HAY, ALFALFA: SECOND CUTTING	55	50	73	76
HAY, OTHER: SECOND CUTTING	60	56	55	54
PEACHES: FRUIT SET	99	85	N/A	N/A
SNAP BEANS: PLANTED	97	93	N/A	N/A
SOYBEANS: EMERGED	96	91	96	84
TOMATOES: HARVESTED	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
WATERMELONS: HARVESTED	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
WINTER WHEAT: HARVESTED FOR GRAIN	94	88	93	76

July 12, 2020 Maryland and Delaware Weekly Weather Summary

		Air Temperature Last Week				Precipitation					
State	Station	Max	Min	Avg	Norm	DFN	One Week	Rain Days	DFN	Four Weeks	Four Weeks DFN
Delaware	NORTHERN										
	Wilmington New Castle Co Ap	87.4	70.6	79.0	76.84	2.16	3.34	3.0	2.3	4.42	0.61
	Extreme/Average	87.4	70.6	79.00	76.84	2.16	3.34	3	2.30	4.42	0.61
	SOUTHERN										
	Georgetown-Delaware Coastal Airport	89.4	72.0	80.71	76.73	3.99	5.1	3.0	4.12	5.47	1.16
	Extreme/Average	89.4	72.0	80.71	76.73	3.99	5.10	3	4.12	5.47	1.16
	STATE TOTAL	89.0	71.7	80.33	76.75	3.59	4.71	3	3.72	5.24	1.04
Maryland	SOUTHEASTERN SHORE										
	Ocean City Municipal Ap	85.4	72.3	78.86	75.96	2.9	5.48	2.0	4.86	5.5	2.63
	Salisbury-Wicomico Regional Airport	89.0	71.4	80.21	76.84	3.37	3.17	3.0	2.29	5.44	2.03
	Extreme/Average	87.2	71.8	79.53	76.40	3.13	4.33	3	3.58	5.47	2.33
	LOWER SOUTHERN										
	Mechanicsville 5 Ne	86.1	69.6	77.86	75.69	2.17	6.92	1.0	6.03	8.94	5.69
	Patuxent River Nas	89.7	73.7	81.67	78.21	3.42	0.02	1.0	-0.77	1.57	-2.12
	Extreme/Average	87.9	71.7	79.77	76.95	2.79	3.47	1	2.63	5.25	1.79
	UPPER SOUTHERN										
	Baltimore-Washington International Airport	90.4	72.6	81.5	77.11	4.39	1.49	4.0	0.61	3.92	0.66
	Oxon Hill	90.9	70.4	80.64	78.59	2.06	4.31	2.0	3.21	6.67	2.74
	National Arboretum Dc	92.6	72.7	82.64	79.64	3.0	2.49	2.0	1.51	4.15	0.38
	Extreme/Average	91.3	71.9	81.59	78.45	3.15	2.76	4	1.78	4.91	1.26
	NORTHEASTERN SHORE										
	Stevensville 2Sw	91.4	74.0	82.7	76.74	5.98	1.52	2.0	N/A	2.88	N/A
	Extreme/Average	91.4	74.0	82.70	76.74	5.98	1.52	2	N/A	2.88	N/A
	NORTHERN CENTRAL										
	Emmitsburg 2 Se	88.6	66.3	77.43	74.39	3.04	0.27	2.0	-0.51	2.02	-1.34
	Millers 4 Ne	86.9	67.9	77.36	73.5	3.86	0.68	1.0	-0.25	3.01	-0.3
	Reisterstown 2 Nw	89.6	70.1	79.86	N/A	N/A	0.25	2.0	N/A	2.5	N/A
	Extreme/Average	88.4	68.1	78.22	73.94	3.45	0.40	2	-0.38	2.51	-0.82
	APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN										
	Cumberland 2	95.5	67.3	81.42	76.64	4.8	0.98	2.0	0.33	3.05	0.26
	Frostburg 2	85.1	62.6	73.86	69.11	4.74	1.76	4.0	0.89	5.58	2.15
	Hagerstown Regional Airport	90.3	70.3	80.29	75.54	4.74	0.53	3.0	-0.16	1.59	-1.22
	Extreme/Average	90.3	66.7	78.52	73.76	4.76	1.09	4	0.35	3.41	0.40
	ALLEGHENY PLATEAU										
	Savage River Dam	85.4	63.0	74.21	70.21	4.0	2.2	5.0	1.19	7.56	3.8
	Sines Deep Creek	84.5	59.2	71.88	N/A	N/A	0.0	0.0	N/A	0.8	N/A
	Extreme/Average	85.0	61.1	73.04	70.21	4.00	1.10	5	1.19	4.18	3.80
	STATE TOTAL	88.6	69.2	78.91	75.02	3.66	1.76	3	0.97	3.74	0.68

 $DFN = Departure \ from \ normal.$ Weather summary provided by the Southern Regional Climate Center, https://climdata.srcc.lsu.edu.